

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

The present invention provides a process for efficiently producing sporangia of *Bacillus popilliae* containing spores and parasporal bodies having controlling effects on *Scarabaeidae* insects, and a control agent and controlling method for *Scarabaeidae* insects obtained by said production process. In a process for producing sporangia of *Bacillus popilliae* containing spores and parasporal bodies by culturing *Bacillus popilliae* in a medium containing an adsorbent, the medium contains 0.2-4.0% by weight of glutamic acid.